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1. According to the Economic Plan, the 1954 output of VEB Farbenfabrik Wolfen at Wolfen represented a total value of 240 million DM. The plan was overfulfilled in the first two quarters of 1954. In the third quarter of this year, the plan was overfulfilled 16 percent.
2. A total of 20 million DM is scheduled to be spent on investments in 1955. Of this sum, 4 million DM are to be spent on general repairs and maintenance work. Great efforts will be made in 1955 to improve the social-welfare installations of the enterprise.
3. Plans have been made to build a pilot plant at Wolfen in 1955. At this plant, production methods are to be tested before a specific product is to be mass-produced. In October 1954, a new sulphuric acid plant for production on a gypsum basis was under construction.

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